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Hello Krista:

These are the Communications that my Examiner and I had in reference to my Clams per Serial # 09-682,279 or Application # 60/291,259.

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> ----Original Message-----APR 22 2002 > From: Trieu, Van > Sent: Monday, March 04, 2002 3:22 PM Special Program Unit > To: 'williams cecil@hotmail.com' Grc → 600 > Subject: 09/652,279 > > > Hi, Williams, > > > This is the Amendment filed on 20 Feb 2002: > > > 2 (New) An illuminating instrument for illuminating a surface > through means of an universal serial bus, comprising: a light source, an > clongated universal > > serial bus wire coupled to said light source, a flexible stabilizing > element connected between said light source an universal serial bus > connector, which > comprises of plurality of core-elements; a plurality of > core-elements adapted to a universal serial bus connector. > > > > > > I suggest to correct the claim so that it is clearly thoughfull as > below: >

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> > 2 (second amended) An illuminating instrument for illuminating a > surface through means of an universal serial bus, comprising: a light > source, an > > universal serial bus connector and an elongated universal serial bus > wire which is configured with a flexible stabilizing agent for easily > bendable, wherein > > the elongated universal serial bus wire includes a plurality of > core-elements connected between said light source and said universal > scrial bus connector. > > > > If you have any questions, please call me at (703) 308-5220 or to > email me at van.trieu@uspto.gov. > > > > Thanks, RECEIVED > APR 2 2 2002 > Van Tricu

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of **December 14, 2001**, please amend the above-identified U.S. Patent application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim: I without prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter therein. Please add new claim 2 as follows.

2 (New) An illuminating instrument for illuminating a surface through means of an universal serial bus, comprising: a light source, an clongated universal serial bus wire coupled to said light source, a flexible stabilizing element connected between said light source an universal serial bus connector, which comprised of plurality of core elements; a plurality of core-elements adapted to a universal serial bus connector.

<u>REMARKS</u>

In view of the above amendments and the following remarks, reconsideration and further examination are requested.

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Claim 1 has been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being anticipated by Kim (US 5,938,770). Claim 1 has been cancelled and are replaced with new claim 2.

Claim 2 has been drafted to further distinguish the present invention over the reference relied upon by the Examiner. As a result, the abovementioned rejections are submitted to be inapplicable to the new claim for at least the following reason.

Newly added independent claim 2 is patentable over Kim, since claim 2 recites, in part, given the reasons why your claimed elements and our invention are different from rejected reference of Kim and other cited references.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is submitted that the present application is now in condition for allowance. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone if it is felt that there are issues remaining, which must be resolved before allowance of the application.

> Respectfully submitted, Cecil E. Williams Jr.

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